**Chapter 19**

**The New West**

**Sections 4 & 5**



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**Chapter 19: Section 4—Indian Peoples in Retreat**

**EQ: How were the Native Americans mistreated by the settlers and U.S. government?**

**Promises Made & Broken**

**Fort Laramie Treaty:**

What were the terms of the Fort Laramie Treaty?



Why was the treaty changed/broken?

**The Chivington Massacre:**

What was the Chivington Massacre? Describe.

**Learning “American” Ways & Forced Onto Reservations:**

What did it mean for Native Americans to learn “American” ways?

**End of the Buffalo**

What factors led to the decline of the buffalo?



What impact did the decrease/loss of the buffalo have on the Plains Indians?

**The War for the West**

**Custer’s Last Stand:**

What led to the Battle of Little Bighorn?

Describe the events of June, 1876—Custer’s Last Stand:



Why was this victory not helpful for the Indians?

**Chief Joseph Flees:**

Who was Chief Joseph? Why did he leave his land?



**The Apache Wars:**

What was the significance of the Apache wars and who was their leader?

**The Indian Way of Life Ends**

The Native Americans had been forced onto reservations. They were forced to let go of their old way of life and their future seemed bleak. They wanted to hold on to the old ways.

**The Ghost Dance:**

Describe the Ghost Dance and its purpose.

**Settlers React:**

How did the settlers react to the Ghost Dance? What Indian warrior was lost?

**Massacre at Wounded Knee:**

Describe what happened at Wounded Knee Creek on December 29, 1890?

**Reformers Fail**

The Indians had lost their fight for their land and way of life. They were all being forced to move to reservations.

**Reformers speak out:**

Name two people who spoke out against what was happening to the Native Americans.



**A New Federal Policy:**

What federal policy was intended to give the Indians back a little of what was taken from them? Was it successful? Why or why not?

**Chapter 19: Section 5—Farming**

**EQ: What difficulties did farmers face in the west?**

**Farmers Move West**

In 1862, Congress passed the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, promising \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**Problems with Homesteading:**

Describe some of the problems of the Homestead Act.

**Exodusters & Los Mexicanos:**

Who were the Exodusters?

Who were the Los Mexicanos?

**The Oklahoma Land Rush**

Describe the Oklahoma Land Rush:

**Hard Life on the Plains**

Farmers living on the Great Plains built their houses out of **sod**--\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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**Sodbusting:**

What new technologies helped farmers in the Great Plains?



**Surviving the Climate:**

How did the weather affect the farmers?

**Women on the Plains:**

How did women deal with the hardships of life on the Plains?

**More Crops, Less Money:**

Why were Plains farmers facing money problems?

**Farmers Take Action**

**The Grange:**

What was The Grange and how did it help farmers?

* Founded:
* Purpose:
* Cooperatives:
* Voting:

**Farmers’ Alliance:**

What was the Farmers’ Alliance and how was it different from The Grange?

**The Populists**

Who were the Populists and what did they want?



The Populists wanted “free silver.” What was this and why was it important?

How did the eastern bankers and factory owners feel about the Populists?

**Election of 1896:**

Who did the Populists support in the election and why?

Who won the election and how did he win?

**End of the Populist Party:**

Why did the Populist party break-up?

**Key Term for sections 4 & 5:**

Wounded Knee

John Chivington

Geronimo

Dawes Act

Battle of Little Bighorn

George Custer

Ghost Dance

Sod house

Sodbuster

Cooperative

Wholesale

inflation